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Assigned Theme: Transport

Our application:

LiveViewer will be an application that enables users to plan transportation ahead of time, each trip will be personalized to each user and ensure they can arrive at their destination in a timely fashion.

Features:

- **Live tracking - LiveViewer** will provide real time tracking of transportation services such as buses or trains to provide a better and real time updated estimate of a user's journey time.
- **Late Tracking - LiveViewer** will collect data on how long users wait for various transport services and factor this into its transport recommendation, advising users of when a service will arrive late or arrive early.
- **Social Comparison-** LiveViewer will have a social setting where users who have taken similar trips to the same destination (eg; Maynooth University to Bachelors Walk) will have their trip uploaded and users can compare which route is the fastest to take at that particular hour.
- **Push Notifications-** LiveViewer will notify users when its time to leave to get to their destination in time, it will learn from user habits to provide even more relevant notifications
- **Last Mile Ride-Sharing-** LiveViewer will have an option for users who are travelling to the same place at the same time where public transport might not reach to instead share a taxi or a private car reducing the cost for each user.

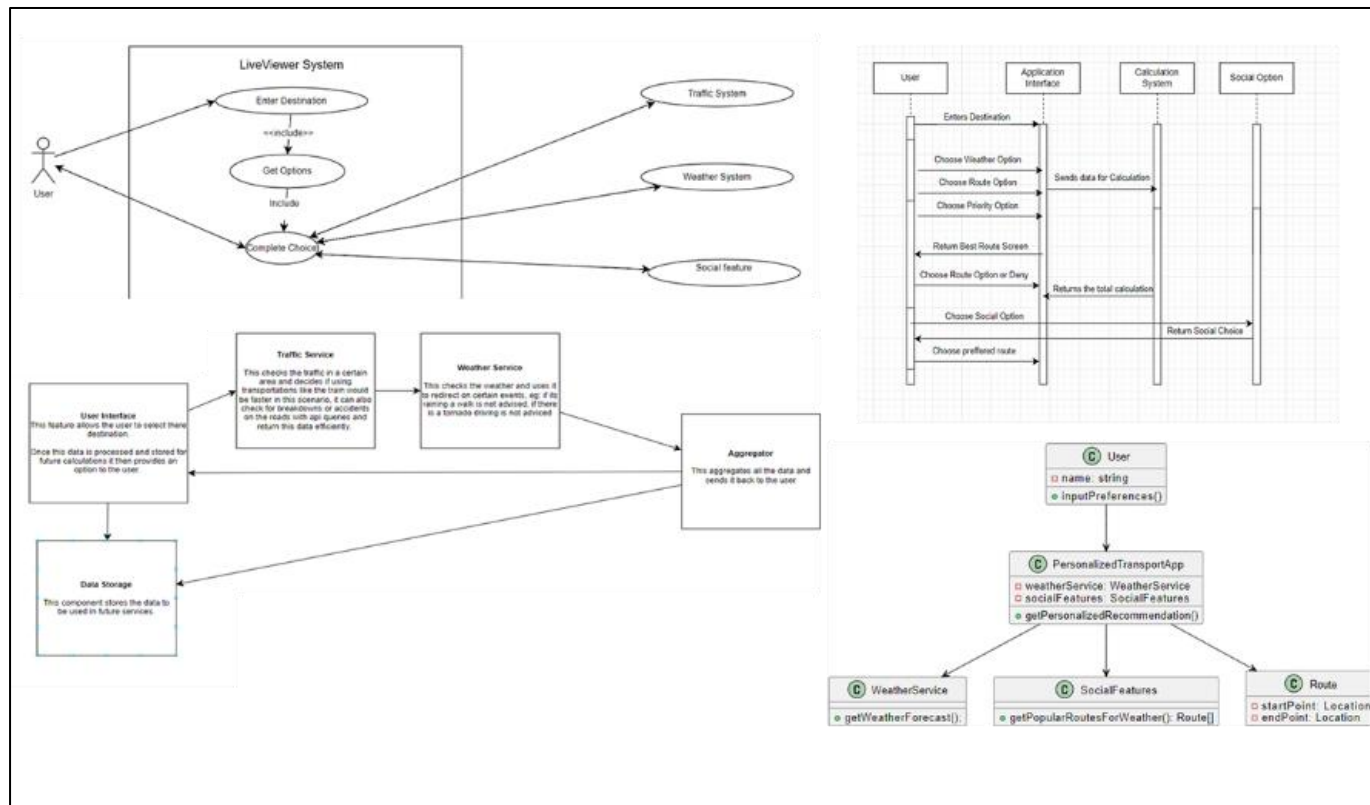
The customer has come to you with a vague specification. In this project you are required to: 1. You must elicit a substantial set of software requirements from them in the form of User Stories (10 User Stories should be created).

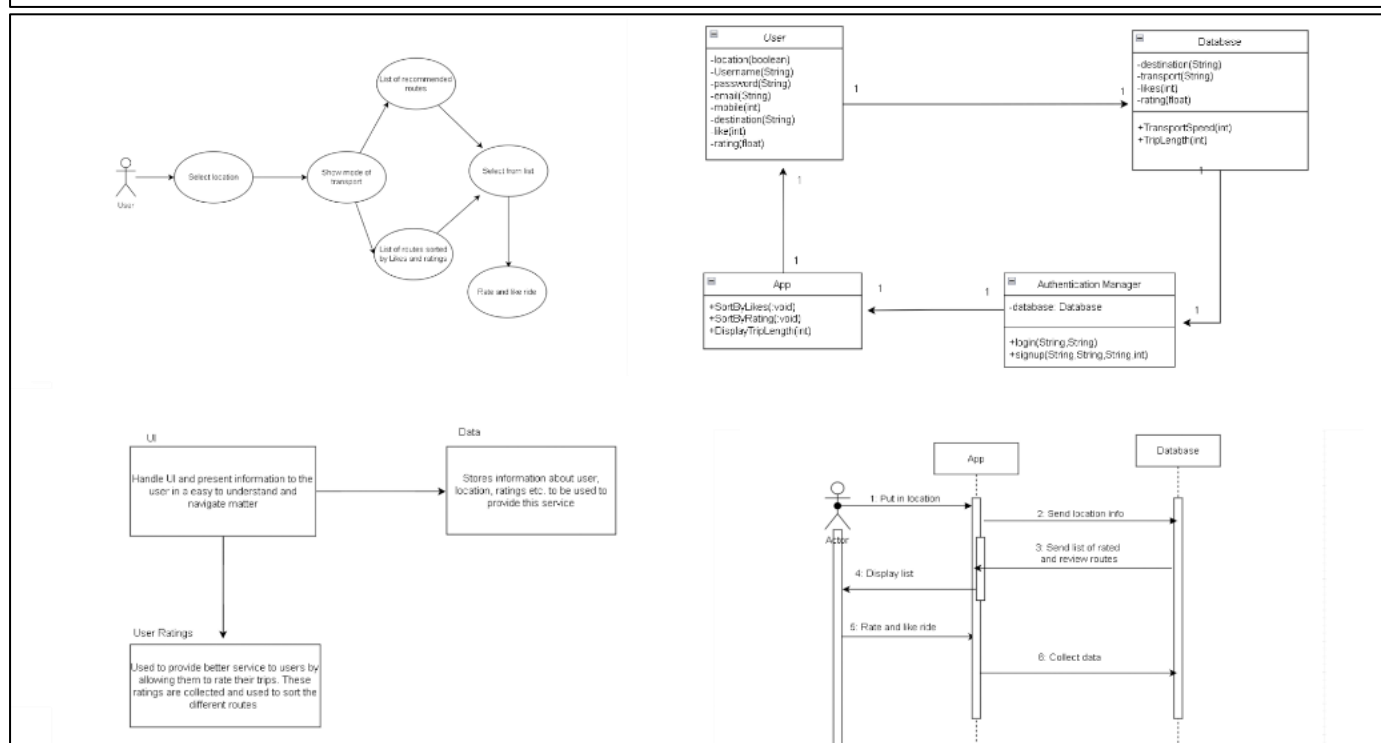
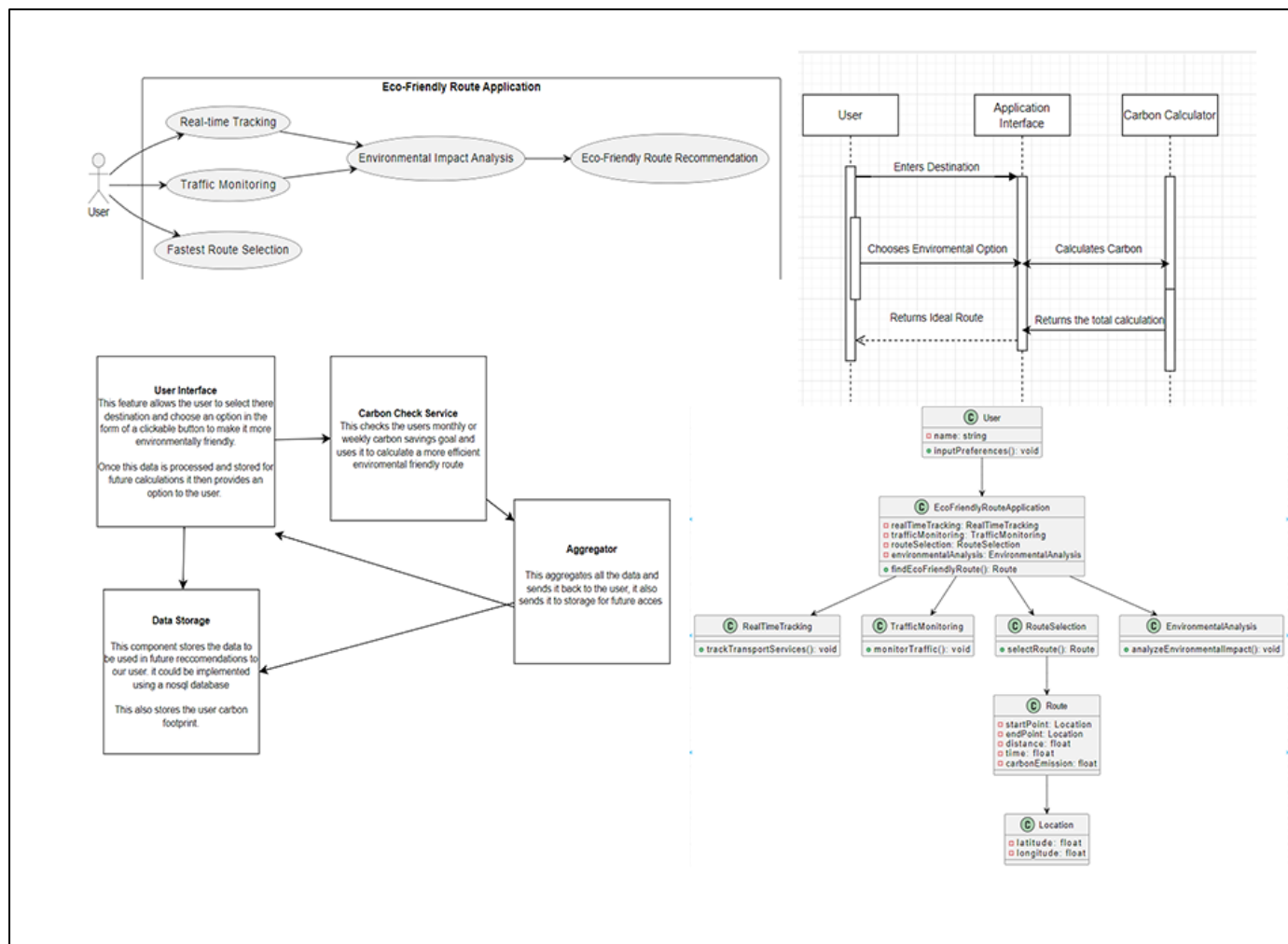
1. As a user I want to be able to get to my destination as quickly as possible, I would like to be able to take the shortest route every time to get to my destination, I imagine an application that would assist me in this by providing real time tracking of transport services and would automatically know when I choose the fastest option possible to redirect me away from services that are known to come late or not come at all. This application should also check with the traffic management systems in my location to make sure I do not take routes that are in heavy traffic reducing my speed to get to my destination. In my search of the fastest way to an event I would imagine an application that would disregard pricing and simply show me the quickest solution, whether it is a nearby bus or a taxi, the application would prioritise speed over economical savings.
2. As a user I care deeply about the environment and I expect my application to have a feature to cater to this, I have come to understand that transport is a significant contributor to carbon emissions and I would like to reduce my carbon footprint while moving from one location to the next, I would expect a feature that caters to this need, comparing all the different routes to get to my destination and providing the most environmental friendly route that does not endanger the environment.

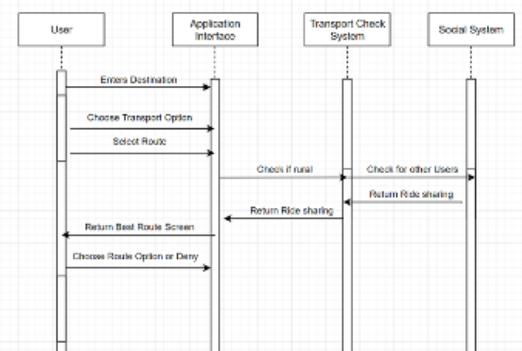
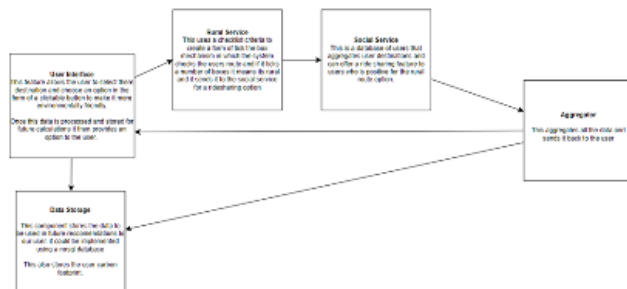
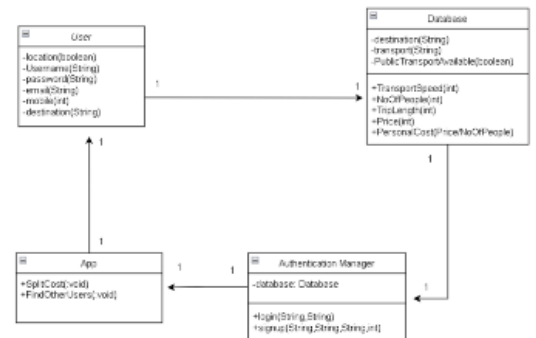
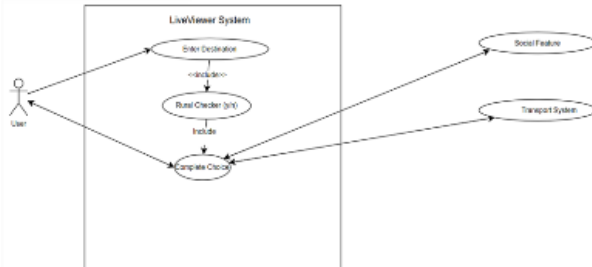
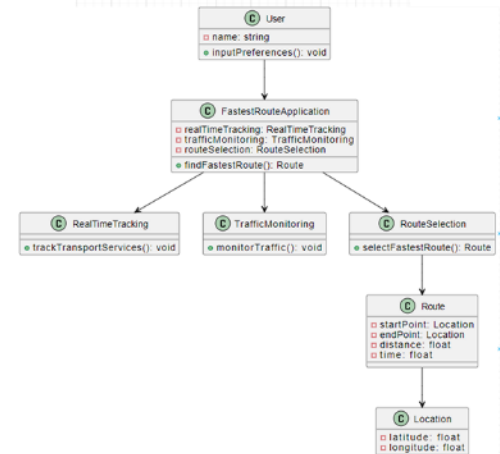
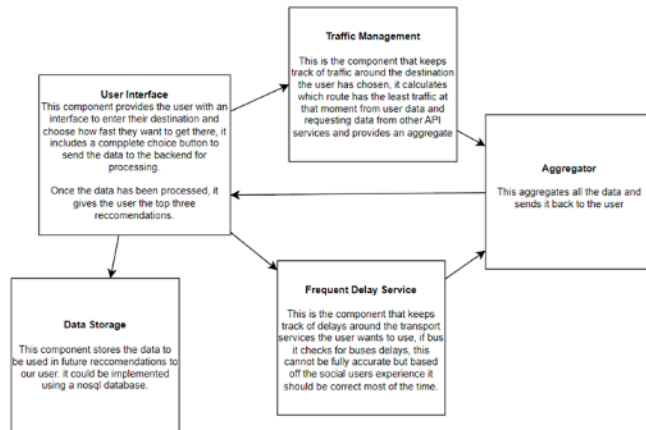
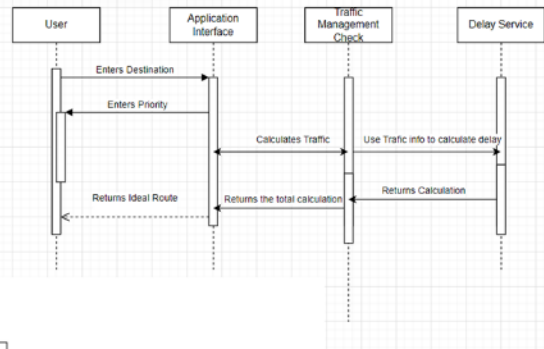
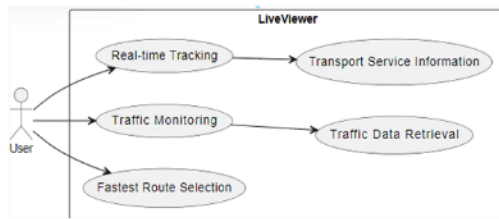
3. As a user I expect my application to offer me personalized transport solutions that is catered directly to my situation, my application should have a feature that understands that although it was bright and sunny yesterday and a route was walkable, that is not the case today and it would reduce my speed in getting to my destination if I had to walk in the snow or the rain, this feature will check the weather at my location any time I interact with my application and provide suitable recommendations based on this weather. It will also interact with its social features to understand what different users have selected in this particular weather.
4. As a user I expect my application to understand that the journey to some routes might include multiple modes of transports, I would expect a feature that shows that during rush hour times trains might be quicker and during normal times buses might be faster. This feature will provide me with different variations of getting to my destination in a timely manner even if it includes taking a bus, walking and catching a train to avoid traffic.
5. As a user I expect a feature that understands that often getting to rural routes is hard without a primary car. My application should be able to connect me to multiple users who also are looking to travel to the same destination as me at a similar time and offer a feature for us all to contribute towards ride sharing so it is cheaper and more efficient for all of us.
6. As a user when I want to travel to a destination I want to be able to look at the journeys of other people who have travelled to the same destination to understand which option is best, although the application will provide me with a recommended route to begin through its pathfinding algorithm, I believe it is necessary for me to be able to view how other users who could be locals have travelled to a destination as locals will know an area better than a computer algorithm will and their journeys might assist me in knowing which services or which routes that although they appear good on paper might not be practical in a real world scenario. This social aspect should let users vote through a liking system to provide “most liked” and “top rated” user journey routes that can then be compared to the algorithm's recommendation by me. This will be especially useful in scenic routes or exploring the great outdoors.
7. As a user I want to be able to plan shared trips with my friends, I want all of us to be able to pick and choose which route we should take, for example if me and my friends in our university want to go out to eat at a certain time I expect the application to be able to plan our journey at that time, the application should then make sure all of us agree to this plan and then provide live updates as different friends might opt different routes that cater to their schedules better it should enable us to track each other's location and provide an estimated time of when everyone will be present at our destination as part of its social function.
8. As a user I expect my application to let me plan trips far ahead of time, for example if I have a journey to the airport in a month from now, I should be able to plan how I will get to the airport a month in advance and when the dates come closer my application should provide me with notifications alerting me of how I will travel and my estimated time of arrival.
9. As a user if I opt to take the public transport method and in some cases this might lead me to taking multiple services I need a feature that simplifies ticket purchasing for me, there should be an in-house feature that helps me buy the tickets for all these services at the same time with the user information I already purchased. It should provide an aggregate price and enable me to pay all at once then the system can purchase each individual ticket and when it comes time to use the tickets in a transport switching scenario the tickets should be available automatically and I shouldn't have to fumble and search for the tickets.

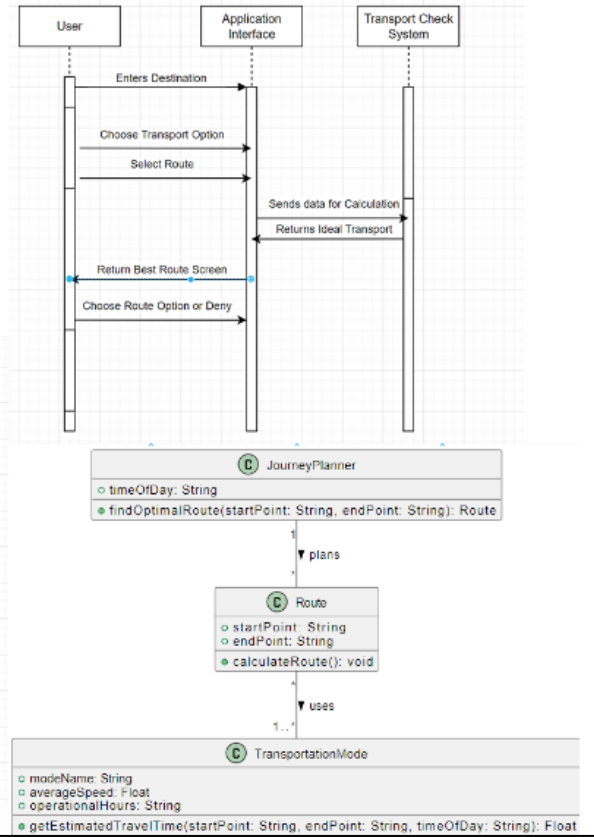
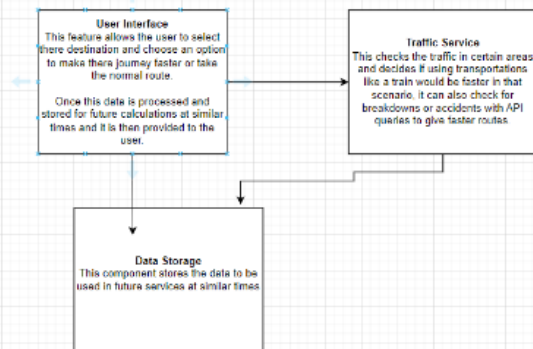
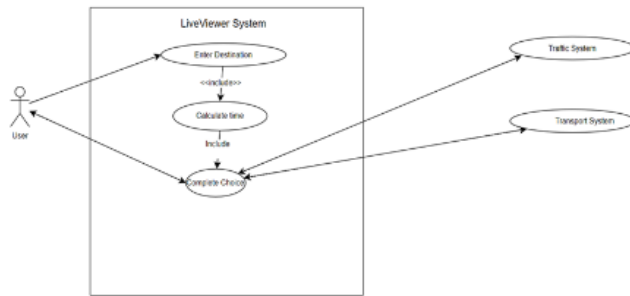
10. As a user I fully expect my system to be fully catered to me, my transport companion should live beside me and learn my habits and adapt to them ensuring I always reach my destination in a timely manner, if I am likely to miss my transport services as I have the previous times my transport companion should learn from this and give me alerts to begin earlier than normal. If I consistently arrive late my application should refer me to an earlier service instead so it doesn't happen more often and so on and so forth.

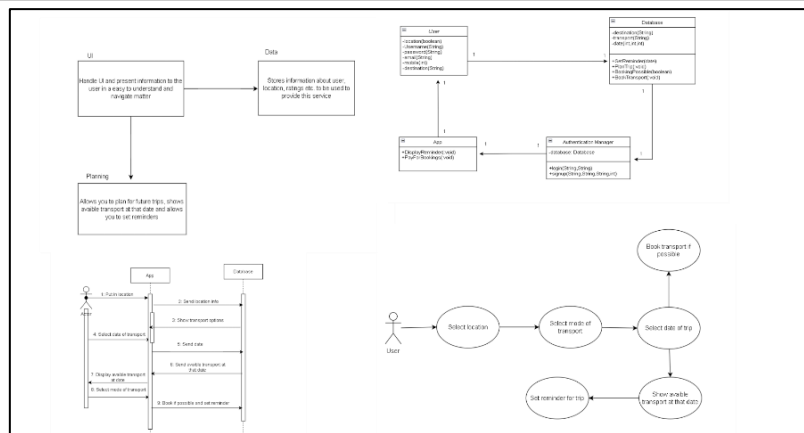
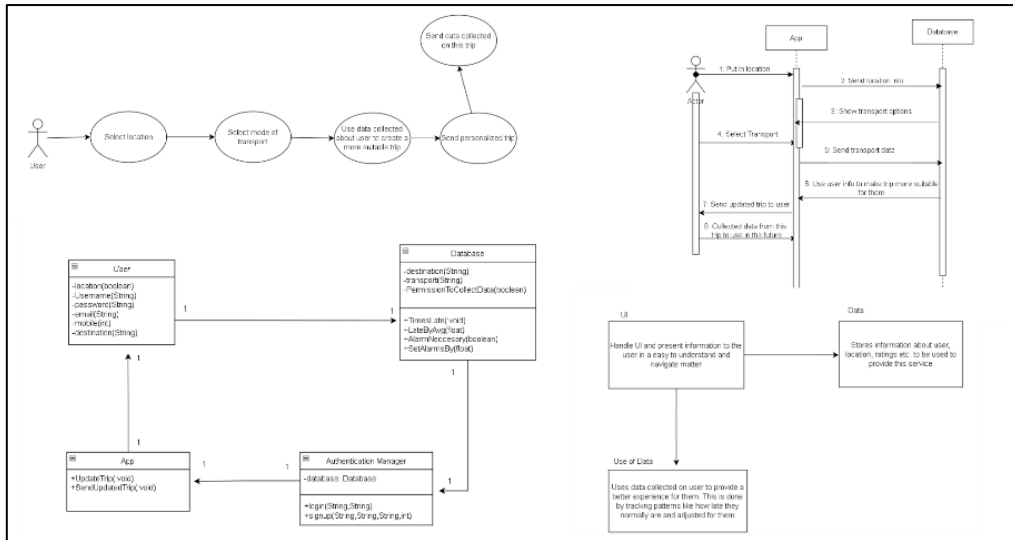
2. The User Stories should then be translated into formal descriptions/models that can be used by all project stakeholders, most importantly the developers and testers. These models would include a complete set of UML diagrams: Use Case, Sequence Diagram, Class Diagram and Architecture Diagram

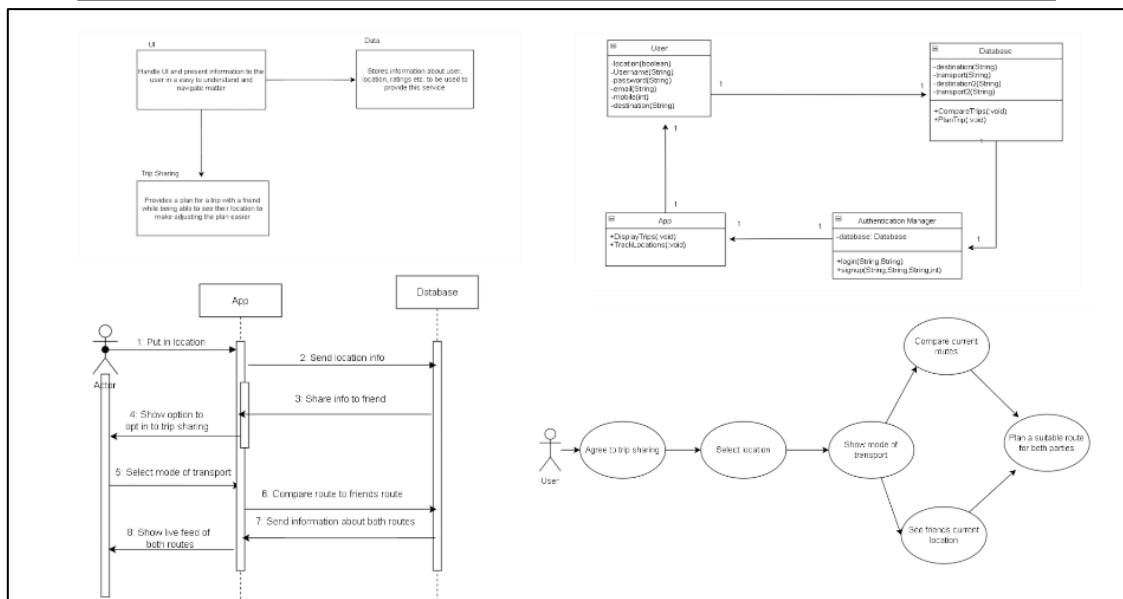
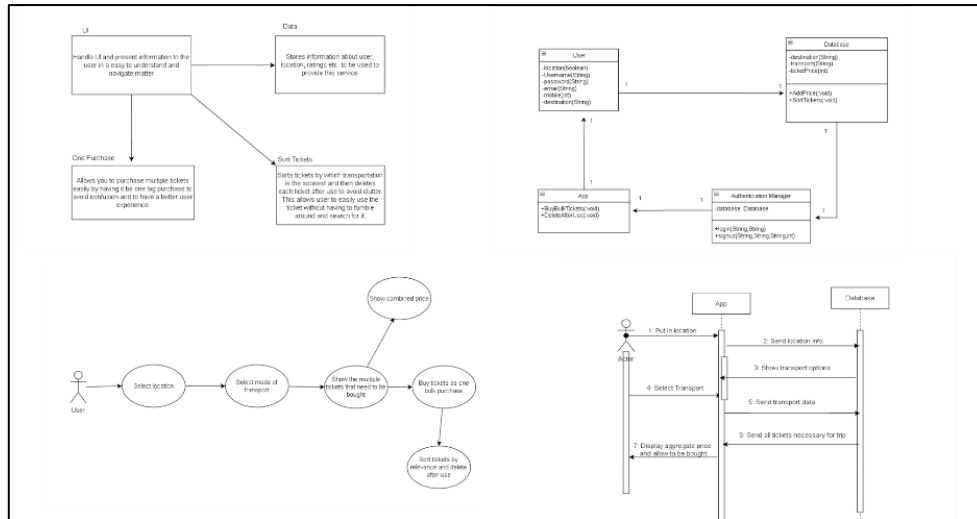












3. A mock-up of the user interface should be produced.



4. Additionally, an outline set of System tests that can be used to validate the User requirements should be created.

Test Cases

1. Shortest Route

- Test the accuracy of the system in calculating the shortest route based on a user's inputted location.
- Test the system's ability to respond in real time to events such as crashes, traffic, and delays, and notify and redirect the user based on this information.
- Test the system to ensure it is recommending the fastest route available to the user first, irrespective of pricing.

2. Carbon Footprint

- Test the systems to ensure that it is recommending environmentally friendly means of transport to the users inputted destination.
- Test the accuracy and validity of the information the system is acting upon.

3. Weather

- Test the system's ability to recommend routes based on real time weather information and recommend more suitable means of travel depending on the weather, based on the users destination.
- Test the accuracy and validity of the systems recommendations and weather information.

4. Busy Times

- Test the system's ability to adapt to changing circumstances based on time, and notify and redirect users from busy or late means of transport based on the users inputted route
- Test the system to ensure the system is accurately keeping track of wait times, delays, and busy times of day.

5. Ride Share

- Test the system's ability to find and group users who have inputted a rural, hard to reach destination and recommend them a shared means of travel to their respective locations based on the users' input.
- Test the system to ensure it is recommending an efficient route for all grouped users and providing them with the means to contribute collectively to lower costs for each respective individual.
- Test the system to ensure the accuracy and validity of the users and routes it is grouping together, and ensure the efficiency of the shared route for each user.

Contributions-

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- **Diagrams for User Stories 6-10, Power point**

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- **User Stories, Diagrams for User Stories 1-5, Video**

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- **Wireframes and System Tests**